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SUBJ: IV NOMINATION

REF: LIBREVILLE 0377

1. POST NOMINATES RAYMOND ANTOINE TCHICAYA, DIRECTOR OF POLITICAL AFFAIRS, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, FOR THIRTY-DAY INTERNATIONAL VISITOR (OBSERVATION & CONSULTATION) GRANT BEGINNING ON OR ABOUT JUNE 1, 1974.

2. GRANT WOULD ENABLE TCHICAYA, RISING YOUNG MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OFFICIAL, TO GAIN BETTER AND MORE COMPLETE PICTURE OF UNITED STATES (HIS PREVIOUS VISITS, ON UN BUSINESS, HAVE BEEN RESTRICTED TO NEW YORK WITH ONLY ONE WEEKEND IN WASHINGTON) AND ALSO OF AMERICAN FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMUNITY.

3. IDEALLY, PROGRAM PLANNED SHOULD EXPOSE TCHICAYA TO INTER-RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTORS, UNIVERSITIES AND RESEARCH ORGANIZATIONS, IN CONDUCT AND DISCUSSION OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS. IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IF HE COULD ALSO MEET WITH PERSONS AND ORGANIZATIONS INTERESTED IN AFRICAN QUESTIONS AS WELL AS THE GENERAL CONDUCT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

4. FOLLOWING IS BASIC BIODATA: (A) RAYMOND ANTOINE TCHICAYA; (B) MALE; (C) SEPTEMBER 24, 1938, LIBREVILLE; (D) GABONESE; (E) MINISRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, B.P. 245, LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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LIBREVILLE, GABON; (F) INSTITUT DES HAUTES ETUDES

D'OUTRE-MER, PARIS, 1962-64, FACULTY OF LAW AND ECONOMIC  
SCIENCE, PARIS, 1964-65; (G) DIRECTOR OF POLITICAL AFFAIRS,  
MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND COOPERATION, LIBREVILLE,  
GABON; (H) ATTACHE DE CABINET, MINISTERE DE LA FONCTION  
PUBLIQUE; ATTACHE DE CABINET, VICE PRESIDENCE DU GOUVERNEMENT;  
AGENT DU PROTOCOLE, MINISTERE DES AFFAIRS ETRANGERES;  
ALL SINCE 1967; (I) OFFICER, ETOILE DE CHINE; CHEVALIER,  
L'ORDRE NATIONAL DU DAHOMEY; CHEVALIER, L'ORDRE NATIONAL  
DE COTE D'IVOIRE; (J) NONE; (K) WESERN EUROPE, NEW YORK  
(UN SESSIONS) 1969-73; VARIOUS AFRICAN COUNTRIES, SAME  
PERIOD; (L) SOME KNOWLEDGE BUT WILL NEED INTERPRETER;  
(M) FRENCH; (N) MARRIED, THREE CHILDREN; (O) NONE; (P)  
MRS. HELENE TCHICAYA, B.P. 64, LIBREVILLE, GABON; (Q) NONE.  
5. MR. TCHICAYA WOULD TRAVEL LIBREVILLE-PARIS-WASHINGTON.

6. HE IS ELIGIBLE FOR A U.S. VISA.

7. DECLASSIFY UPON RECEIPT.  
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